

He also serves the State of Nebraska as a Uniform State Law Commissioner, so this is a way of saying thank you and recognizing someone who is in demand and who is sought by a number of other states, but who has decided to stay in his home state, Harvey Perlman. I'd ask for the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Landis. Senator Wesely.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you, Madam President. Usually these resolutions are in recognition of somebody who has died or is leaving. I'm not sure if this isn't a very good precedent to take. Maybe it would be nice to say thank you while they're still here and serving the state. So I like the concept. I like Harvey Perlman, and I think we ought to probably do it more often. We seem to wait until it's past the point at which you can do much, a person's decided to leave, a person's passed away, and that seems to be the precedent. So I think this is a nice, healthy change, and I support the resolution.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Wesely. Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: I just want to follow up a little bit on...thank you, Madam President and members. Just follow up a little on what Senator Wesely said. I have a column that I've kept for years that a very famous writer wrote, years ago. The name of it was "Send Me No Flowers". And the column was about that a president is not a good president until he's a dead president, and that was the gist of the column. But I think that the point that Senator Wesely made is that it is a good idea to offer a resolution like this to recognize a person who has done something significant for our state and for the university and so on, and do it while he's still around to enjoy the fact that we do appreciate him so. Thank you, Senator Landis.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Senator Crosby. Does anyone else wish to speak to this resolution? Seeing none, we will now vote on the motion to adopt LR 80. All those in favor please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 23 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on adoption of LR 80.

PRESIDENT MOUL: LR 80 is adopted. LR 81.